THE SENATE THE TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2011

COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY

Senator Carol Fukunaga, Chair Senator Glenn Wakai, Vice Chair

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Senator Jill N. Tokuda, Chair Senator Michelle Kidani, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 4, 2011

TIME: 1:15 p.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AGENDA

SB 776 RELATING TO SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY.

EDT/EDU, WAM

Testimony
Status

Establishes a task force to identify barriers that Hawaii businesses and university professors face in developing entrepreneurial business models in biotechnology, and to recommend specific actions to address

these barriers; requires report to the 2012 legislature.

SB 1120 RELATED TO THE ECONOMY.

EDT/EDU, WAM

<u>Testimony</u>

Status

Appropriates funds for the: Hawaii excellence through science and technology academy pilot program; fostering inspiration and relevance through science and technology pre-academy program; robotics and problem-based, applied learning program; research experiences for teachers program; professional development program for public school science and mathematics teachers; business/education internship and mentorship program; incentives for people who hold degrees in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics subjects to obtain teaching certificates through the University of Hawaii's post baccalaureate certificate in secondary education program; project EAST continuation and expansion.

SB 1217

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

EDU/EDT, WAM

Testimony

Status

Establishes a pilot project that expands the e-school program offered by the Hawaii virtual learning network and the DOE to Lanai high and

elementary school. Appropriates funds.

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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